## Windham County & Vicinity.

All the News in the Reformer's Bailiwick as Gath. ered by a Score of Special Correspondents.

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An auction of household goods was held at the Raleigh house on River street Saturday afternoon. The house itself was not sold, the bids not being high enough to satisfy the heirs.

Mrs. D. C. Fogg of Keene and Mrs. E. L. Cook of Brattleboro spent the day, May 2, with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Holman on Canal street, it being the enty-fifth marriage anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Holman.

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The polls of Mrs. Lucinda P. Wise died at her Canal street home Friday evening, May 1, from pneumonia, at the age of 75 years. She had been ill less than a week. Mrs. Wise was born in Marlow and removed to Hinsdale in 1869, where

The baseball association, which is composed of those who contributed toward the renting of Riverside park, held a meeting Monday evening and organized with W. A. Blouen manag-

The young ladies' sodality of St. Joseph's Catholic church gave a May party at the town hall Wednesday evening, May 6. Supper was served in the basement and the Hinsdale orchestra basement and the Hissaars gave a well-selected musical program. Dancing followed and the company broke up about 1 o'clock after one of the pleasantest and most successful affairs of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Robertson and daughter Eva have gone to Attica, Ind., for a stay of a month or more.— Rev. W. F. White and George A. Robertson attended the state convention of Congregational and Presbyterian prochurches at Newport last week.—Mrs.

Jay Archibald and child of Ludlow,
Vt., are visiting with Mrs. C. D. Whitly. Vt., are visiting with Mrs. C. D. Whitaker on High street. —Walter Brooks is
to play with the Y. M. C. A. baseball
team of Brattleboro this season. —The
ladies of the Congregational church
served a supper of salads, cold meats,
etc., at the church vestry Wednesday
evening, May 6.—Miss Caroline B.
Howe is visiting in Boston. —Mrs.
Edwin Robinson and child of St Louis are visiting her parents, Mr. and evening, May 6.—Miss Caroline B. Howe is visiting in Boston.—Mrs. Edwin Robinson and child of St Louis are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Leach.—Miss Florence Hubbard of Newton, Mass., came Saturday to visit Miss Elizabeth M. Robertson.—John Stanton closes his engagement at M. S. Mann's pharmacy this week and will take a position in F. H. Holden's drug store in Brattleboro.—Mrs. Ida Shaw has sold her house on the Northfield road to F. H. Fuller.—Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien of Ludlow were in town last week.—

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Wantastiquet grange initiated eight candidates into the first and second degrees Wednesday evening, May 6.

The pastors of the several churches delivered sermons Sunday morning urging their hearers to vote no on the license question.

Members of the Pine Grove Cemetery association will meet in the selectmen's room in the town hall Saturday afternoon to elect officers and transact any other necessary business.

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organized with Woung assistant man-er and Frank Young assistant man-ager. Another meeting will soon be ager. Another meeting will soon be held to elect a captain and choose the players.

Through her work Mrs. Wise nad made a large circle of acquaintances and was a woman with many friends. She is sur-vived by two daughters, Mrs. W. A. Kenney of Worcester and Mrs. W. C. vived by two daughters, Mrs. W. A. Kenney of Worcester and Mrs. W. C. Bohrman of Boston; also two brothers, Kenney of Worcester and Mrs. W. C.
Bohrman of Boston; also two brothers,
D. A. Gee of Winchester and Nathan
Gee of Fitchburg; four sisters, Mrs.
James Harlow of Boston, Mrs. Melissa
Chamberlain of Denver, Colo., Mrs.
Miranda Wood of California and Mrs.
Marietta Green of Greenfield, Mass.
The funeral was held at the house meeting was that the wires should, as

#### WEST CHESTERFIELD.

The boys will have a dance here May See posters.

Smallpox scare is over. The disease proved to be chicken pox.

Mrs. George Amidon improves slow-v. Gertrude Rice is very low.

Supt. Richards is moving to Mr. eck's new house. It is expected that the schools will close May 18 to allow the teachers to attend the institute at Keene.

A meeting of the Old Home Week association is called for Saturday even-ing when plans will be made for the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the settlement of the town.

Augustus Felch and family of Marlow have moved to this village.—Carl Davis of Cincinnati, O., is visiting his father, C. C. Davis.—Mrs. E. A. Keep and son, John, go to Conway, N. H., to live. Mrs. Keep will be much missed here. here.

The stone work on the new Episcopal church is progressing rapidly and the carpenters are preparing the timbers. The plans show a very pretty design in which the front to the eaves is stone, and the north end is wood and

Saturday the base ball team was beaten by the Bellows Falls Athletics by a score of 10 to 3. There was some misunderstanding so that some of the home team did not play and it is ex-pected that the whole team will give

and removed to Hinsdale in 1866, where she engaged in the millinery business, in which she continued until a few years ago. She was a member of the Universalist church and a constant attendant when health permitted. Through her work Mrs. Wise had made a large circle of acquaintances and was and the vote was only on the saloon.

Tuesday the vote for license was two to one in favor of the license. The vote polled was very light and was partly due to the fact that the present law practically allows little option. The drug stores, hotels, railroad cafes and paint stores have licenses anyway, and the vote was only on the saloon.

Show the fight will be resumed before the railroad commissioners at an adjourned hearing to be ing, as he deserves, the led May 19. It was voted to leave the matter in the bands of the railroad community.

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#### WILMINGTON.

At the town meeting May 2 it was voted not to make any alterations or repairs on the town hall.

At the regular communication of So-

## AROUND OUR HOME FIELD.

SOME OF THE MORE NOTABLE EVENTS OF THE WEEK'S RECORD.

#### License Vote in Cheshire County

The vote on license in Cheshire coun-The vote on license in Cheshire county Tuesday was large. The towns and cities in which the license law was adopted are Hinsdale, Alstead, Chesterfield, Richmond, Swanzey, Winchester, Walpole and Keene. In Keene the contest was very close and license won by only 80 votes in a total of over 2000. The majority for license in Hinsdale was 104 in a total vote of 308.

Herbert Ingram of Williamsville, deaf Herbert Ingram of Williamsville, deaf and dumb, had his leg broken while at work for Ephriam Osgood in Brookline Monday. He was driving an ox team when the animals became frightened and ran throwing him to the ground. The load passed over the left leg break-ing it above the knee. He was moved to the home of Lyman Powers in Wil-liamsville where he will be cared for.

Interesting game next time.

The building which Mr. Amory began to fit for a club house has evolved into a handsome hotel. Notice is given that Walpole Inn will be open to receive guests June 5. Mrs. M. F. Hutchins of Boston has leased the inn. Under Mr. Amory's hand "The Elmrwood" is being improved and these with The Dinsmore give unusual hotel accommodations for a village of this size.

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mont Superintendent of Motive Power Victim of Peculiar Accident.

Thomas A. Summerskill, superin-tendent of motive power of the Central Vermont railroad, was shot through Vermont railroad, was shot through the body and dangerously wounded at his home in St. Albans Tuesday morn-ing by Lieut Harrie V. Hall, a neigh-bor, son of Col. A. A. Hall, who mis-took him for a burglar. Mr. Hall ran with his revolver to the Summerskill house across the street from his own home in response to cries of "burglar" which aroused him at 4 o'clock in the which aroused him aroused him aroused him morning. As he ran up the steps, Mr. Summerskill, mistaking him for the burglar who had just entered his room burgiar who had just entered his room and escaped by a window, attacked him with a policeman's club which he ha' picked up as a weapon and Hall in turn mistaking his assailant for the burgiar, fired, the ball passing through Mr. Summerskill's body and inched Mr. Summerskill's body and imbed-ding itself in the walls of the house. Mr. Summerskill entirely exonerates Mr. Hall from all blame in the matter,

### ANOTHER BIG FIRE IN PUTNEY.

Capt. William Robertson's Paper Mill Destroyed With Total Loss of \$30,000-Insur-

ance \$8,000. The paper mill at Putney owned by Capt. William Robertson, was burned to the ground Sunday morning. Fire Crowley, one of the workmen, but it had made such headway that little could be done towards saving the main buildings. This is the second serious fire in town within a few weeks. A combination of circumstances seemed to conspire together to make the fire as serious as possible, so that once started the destruction of the whole plant was

the destruction of the whole plant was inevitable. The water supply was cut off so that the hose company had no chance for work, and everything was so exceedingly dry that little could be done by the pail brigade, although everybody seemed willing to work. The office building was saved, though greatly damaged, and a small shed with a ly damaged, and a small shed with a few hundred dollars' worth of paper. There was no fire under the boiler so There was no fire under the boiler so that the fire is supposed to have been

#### EAST DUMMERSTON.

SHOT BY RIS NEIGHBOR.

Who Mistook Him for a Burglar Central VerHis horse was frightened by the electric cars and he was thrown out. Dodge lived in Dummerston until he settled in Bellows Falls and is well known and favorably remembered.

Miss Mara Laws, teacher in No. 8 chool, went to her home in Springfield to spend Saturday and Sunday.—
Mrs. F. H. Dodge is with relatives in
Winhall for a week.—Mr. and Mrs.
John Sheldon who have been at the John Sheldon who have been at the farm for several days returned home Tuesday.—Harold Derby is ill with measles.—There will be a dance at Johnson's hall Friday evening.—Rumor says: Mr. Howard who lives at "Naulahka," has bought the Scott farm.—Giles Kelley of Greenfield who will be 72 years old in November came last week to visit his brother. S. Kelly, coming and returning on his wheel. ly, coming and returning on his wheel.

George Bennett of West Brattleboro visited Mrs. O. L. F. Bennett Thursday.—Mrs. Martha Reed's children from Brattleboro visited her Sunday.

## **CEMETERY HILL STORE**

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TUESDAY, MAY 26, 1903,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

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ALICE L HOLD.

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